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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2134**

PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 09812.0418-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Teruyoshi KOMURO et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2134
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Application No.: 10/613,458)	Examiner: Andrew L. NALVEN
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL

In reply to the final Office Action mailed February 26, 2008, the period for response extending through May 27, 2008 (May 26, 2008 being a Federal Holiday), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks begin on the next page.